

B2 The JSTRUCT.DJL module 85 will run module 851 called the "disc-jockey" the function of which will be described below in relation to Figure 3, when an event occurs corresponding to the end of song selection. Depending on the detected event, the same JSTRUCT.DJL module may start the request processing module 852, the function of which will be described below in relation with Figure 4. This same request processing module 852 is also installed on the host server 100 (Figure 3) to allow a user 601 connected to the server through a terminal 600 and the Internet network 400 to order a selection in advance. A music artist 501 can also use a terminal 500 connected to the server 100 through the Internet network 300 to make a special request for promotion of a song to be executed on several jukeboxes at a given time of a given day. Finally, a user 701 in a room equipped with one or several jukeboxes can make a selection of songs or special requests for advance orders of a selection or a special event, himself or on the jukebox 10. Song selection requests are loaded into the songs queue 840, and advance orders of a selection or a special event requests are loaded into a file 841 containing special requests and all information necessary to process these special requests. The server 100 will also include a file 141 storing these special requests until the time that the server makes a transmission to the specific jukebox or the set of specific jukeboxes to which one or several requests are applicable. This transmission is made through a network 200, for example a telecommunications network. The disc-jockey module 851 executes a first step 8511 in which it looks in the jukebox file 841 to find any special requests for the current time and the current date. If it finds any, the disc-jockey executes

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this request at step 8512 and starts reproduction of the selection ordered in advance and the individual message, if any. At the end of this operation, the disc-jockey checks, in step 8513, to *see* if there are any songs ordered in advance, or goes onto the next song stored in the queue in the file 840. In step 8514, the disc-jockey starts execution of this song. The disc-jockey then loops back 8515 to the first step 8511. The special requests processing program module 852 comprises means of producing a display as shown in Figure 4 asking the user in front of the jukebox or a terminal connected to the Internet, in step 8521, if he would like to select a song in step 8520, or if he would like to make a special request. If he would like to make a special request, the program will use the object modules described above to display windows in which the user can define the jukebox address in step 8522, or select this address in a list downloaded by the server. The user will thus define either the jukebox for which he knows the address, or the jukebox that he selects in the list closest to the person to whom he wishes to offer the selection in his advance order. In the next step, 8523, the program displays screens that the user can use to enter the name of the person sending the song and the name of the person receiving it. In step 8524, the program displays windows in which the date and time at which the selection will be executed can be defined.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-14 without prejudice or disclaimer as to the subject matter contained therein. Please add new claims 15-28 as follows: